

# **Environmental Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes**

Tuesday March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 – 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Location: Brockton Municipal Office Meeting Room – 100 Scott St. Walkerton

Quorum: 6 of 7 Members Present

#### **Committee Members:**

Councillor Steve Adams
Chair Bruce Davidson
Present
Jan Briggs-McGowan
Present
Racheal Bye
Caroline Cressman
Present
Chelsey Reich
Alisha Oberle
Absent
Present
Present
Present
Present

Staff:

Gregory Furtney, Director of Operations Present

## 1. Call to Order

Committee Chair Bruce Davidson called the meeting to order at 4:35 pm

#### 2. Welcome to our NEW member - Ms. Jan Briggs-McGowan

## 3. Adoption of Agenda

Moved By: A. Oberle Seconded By: C. Reich

That the agenda for the March 4th, 2020 meeting of the Environmental

Advisory Committee be adopted.

Carried

#### 4. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and General Nature Thereof

None at this time.



## 5. Review and Adoption of February 4th, 2020 Minutes

Moved By: R. Bye Seconded By: C. Reich

That the minutes of the February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020 meeting be adopted.

Carried

## 6. Business Arising from the March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 Minutes

None at this time

#### 7. Project or Program Updates

#### 7.1 Updates

Community Garden

Bruce Davidson discussed having an Action Committee with Community Living with the bulk of the stakeholders remaining the same as last year. Bruce noted a discussion with Director of Recreation, Mark Coleman regarding having a policy on fundraising due to the current missing money.

Expanded Polystyrene

The polystyrene program continues and is well utilized. About 4,000lbs have been processed since November. Comments were made regarding having an agreement with retailers. As this is still a pilot program, the future of the program us unknown at this time.

Bale Wrap

Bruce Davidson provided an update on the Clean Farms working group's pilot project.

Zero Waste Workshop

This event will be an evening meeting with the Environmental Advisory Committee partnering with the Library on this workshop. The workshop will take place June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

#### 8. Financial Update



Budget discussion – Approved EAC 2020 Budget of \$5,000

Moved By: R. Bye Seconded By: C. Cressman

That the Environmental Advisory Committee 2020 budget of \$5,000 be adopted.

Carried

#### 9. Information Items

None at this time

### 10. Council Update

None at this time

#### 11. New Business

10.1 2020 Work Plan and Policy Review

10.2 Review of EAC Terms of Reference

Committee members reviewed the Environmental Advisory Committee Terms of Reference and provided Gregg with the comments and edits for further review.

#### 12. Adjournment

Moved By: A. Oberle Seconded By: C. Reich

That the Environmental Advisory Committee adjourn at 6:00 pm to meet again on April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 4:30 pm